

Unit 8: Nursing Informatics
Z-Chapter 23
ONLINE CONTENT (1 H)

Unit Objectives:

- Discuss trends associated with the computerized electronic record, e-health, and mobile devices. (6,7)*
- Review the steps in evaluating the validity of a website. (7)*

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Review Z-chapter 23 the assignment and place your answers to the following questions in the Z-CH # 23 drop box by 0800 on 3/24/2025.

Patients often use the Internet to search for health-related issues. Search the Internet for any health-related issue of your choosing. Evaluate the website by answering the following questions:

<https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMra035098>

1. Do the authors have qualifications listed? What are their qualifications? What is the domain? (.gov, .edu, .org)
 - a. Yes, the author does have qualifications and is an M.D. The domain of the website is .org.
2. When was the site created? When was the site last updated or revised?
 - a. This article was published on July 3rd, 2003. The article was corrected on August 7th, 2003.
3. Who is the targeted audience? Does the web site present facts or opinions?
 - a. The target audience is assumed to be medical professionals due to the article being published in The New England Journal of Medicine. Since the article is published in an accredited medical journal the information presented is accurate.
4. How complete and accurate is the content information? Does it agree with other expert sources? (Provide expert sources you researched.)
 - a. The information appears to be accurate and does agree with other expert sources, and also pulls information from other scholarly articles.
5. Does the site load quickly? Is it a secured site? Are there graphics, or pictures on the page that serve a purpose? If so, what are they and how do they relate to the health issue?
 - a. The site loads quickly and is secured. There are graphics on the page, and they are relevant to the topic. The graphics include several tables of information and a figures of anatomical parts of the body.

In order to receive full credit (1 H class time) for this assignment, it must be completed in its entirety by the due date/time assigned. Any assignments not completed in its entirety by the assigned due date and time will result in missed class time.